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1. What should be the objectives of the multilateral selective export controls against the Communist bloc as a whole, i.e., on what basis should the multilateral selective control lists be constructed?
- 2.(a) Under what circumstances, and in what manner, should a different type or level of control be maintained against any particular portion of the Communist orbit?
 - (b) To the extent such differential controls are maintained, what should the U.S. do to minimize their frustration?
 - (c) Must participation in the Free World controls be generally uniform, or can special latitude be allowed one or more countries under special circumstances (i.e., Ceylon re rubber, Japan vis-a-vis Communist China, Germany re inter-zonal trade, etc.)?
3. To what extent, if any, should U.S. controls differ from the multilateral controls?
- 4.(a) What should the U.S. attitude be toward exports to the Communist bloc of commodities outside the internationally agreed control spectrum,
 - (i) by other Free World countries;
 - (ii) by the U.S.?
 - (b) To what extent should the U.S., for security reasons, apply, or seek the application by other Free World countries of, restrictions on imports from the Communist bloc?
5. In order to achieve multilateral agreement on specific economic defense measures, should the U.S. (a) apply sanctions against, or (b) offer special inducements to, Free World countries not otherwise willing to accept the measures or positions supported by the U.S.?
6. How should the U.S. regard, or combat, Soviet efforts toward economic penetration within the Free World?
7. How should the U.S. attempt to advance the degree of unity in, and the effectiveness of, the multilateral organization concerned with security trade controls?